

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Applicant appreciates Examiner Wei's participation in a telephonic conference of September 12, 2008. Applicant wishes to thank Examiner Wei for his time and consideration.

During the interview, the claimed subject matter of the application and the references were discussed. In particular, Applicant presented arguments along the lines of those set forth below in the section entitled "Claim Rejections 35 U.S.C. §102" and "Claim Rejections 35 U.S.C. §103". Specifically, Applicant presented arguments as to how the subject matter in the reference fails to disclose, teach, or suggest features recited in the claims.

Also discussed during the interview were proposed amendments to the claims. In the interest of expediting prosecution of the application, and without conceding the propriety of the rejection, Applicant proposes to amend the independent claims to further clarify features of Applicant's claimed subject matter.

Applicant submits the amendments in writing in this Response to the Office Action. Accordingly, Applicant amends the independent claims herein, as discussed during the interview. Applicant submits that all of the pending claims are in condition for allowance.